

## VIA ECFS

January 31, 2017

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission Office of the Secretary 445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

RE: Notice of Provision of Consumer Broadband-Only Loop Service on a Permissive Detariffed Basis

CC Docket No. 02-33 WC Docket No. 10-90

Dear Ms. Dortch,

Pursuant to the 2006 Wireline Broadband Classification Order<sup>1</sup> and the 2016 Rate-of-Return Reform Order,<sup>2</sup> Delhi Telephone Company is hereby providing the FCC with the attached notice of the Company's election to provision its consumer broadband-only loop (CBOL) service on a permissive detariffed basis, effective March 1, 2017. To date, Delhi Telephone Company has not tariffed or offered a Consumer Broadband Only Loop service, and as such, currently has no customers of the service. The only subscriber of the Company's broadband Internet access transmission service is its affiliate Internet service provider, and has been furnished the following notice of the Company's intention to offer a Consumer Broadband Only Loop service on a detariffed basis.

A copy of this notice is also being sent to the New York Public Service Commission, the Governor of New York, and the Special Assistant for Telecommunications at the Department of Defense. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Jason Miller General Manager

General Manager

Attachment

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Appropriate Framework for Broadband Access to the Internet Over Wireline Facilities et al., CC Docket No. 02-33 et al., Report and Order and Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, FCC 05-150 (rel. Sept. 23, 2005), para. 101 (Wireline Broadband Classification Order).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Connect America Fund et al., WC Docket No. 10-90 et al., Report and Order, Order on Reconsideration, and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, FCC 16-33 (rel. Mar. 30, 2016), para. 193 (Rate-of-Return Reform Order).



## Delhi Telephone Company Study Area Code 150088

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The Federal Communications Commission in its 2016 *Rate-of-Return Reform Order* established revised cost allocation procedures that enable rate of return-regulated incumbent local exchange carriers to recover their broadband-capable network loop costs. Therein, consumer broadband-only loop (CBOL) service was established as means of recovering a portion of the loop costs associated with providing broadband-only service. The FCC afforded rate-of-return carriers the option of tariffing the charge for CBOL service in their interstate common line tariff, or to offer the service on a permissive detariffed basis. Today, Delhi Telephone Company provides notice of its intent to offer the CBOL service on a permissive detariffed basis, effective March 1, 2017.

Delhi Telephone Company already offers its other common carrier broadband Internet access transmission service on a permissive detariffed basis. Delhi Telephone Company will post the rates, terms and conditions of its CBOL service to its website: <a href="www.delhitel.com">www.delhitel.com</a>. The Company will also make physical copies of its offering reflecting the rates, terms and conditions available for public inspection at its business office, at the address provided below:

Delhi Telephone Company PO BOX 271 Delhi, NY 13753

The permissive detariffing of Delhi Telephone Company's CBOL service will apply to the entirety of the Company's study area. This includes the following exchanges: Delhi, NY

Presently, Delhi Telephone Company currently has no customers for its Consumer Broadband Only loop service. The Delhi Telephone Company's only customer of its other broadband Internet access transmission service is the Company's own non-regulated Internet service provider (ISP) affiliate. The Company's affiliated ISP purchases broadband Internet access transmission service for use as an input to the retail broadband Internet access services it offers to residential and business end-user customers. On the effective date of this notice, the Company's affiliated ISP may begin purchasing the Consumer Broadband Only Loop service. The provision of the service as a detariffed service will have no effect on the end-user services provided by the Company's affiliated ISP.

On January 30, 2017, Delhi Telephone Company furnished its affiliated ISP with the attached memorandum, which notifies the ISP of the Company's plan to provide its CBOL service on a detariffed basis.

cc: New York Public Service Commission Governor of New York Special Assistant for Telecommunications at the Department of Defense



To: DTC Cable, Inc.

From: Jason Miller, Delhi Telephone Company

Date: January 30, 2017

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Basis

This is to notify you that Delhi Telephone Company will begin offering a new Consumer Only Broadband Loop (CBOL) service on a non-tariffed basis. This is the same manner in which the company currently provides your broadband Internet access transmission service, which is used as an input for the broadband Internet access services that you offer to residential and business end-user customers.

Delhi Telephone Company's detariffed CBOL service will be offered throughout the entirety of the Company's service area. This includes the following exchanges: Delhi, NY

To view the rates, terms and conditions of our CBOL service, please visit the Company's website at <a href="https://www.delhitel.com">www.delhitel.com</a>. In addition, printed copies of the rates, terms and conditions of the CBOL service will be available at our office, during normal business hours.

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